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Sir:

## AMENDMENT TO CHANGE INVENTORSHIP UNDER RULE 1.48(b)

Please amend the application pursuant to Rule 1.48(b) in order to delete the following inventor from the inventorship entity:

## Hidekazu HATTORI.

In other words, please amend the inventorship of the instant application so that the following represents the inventive entity:

- 1. Masayuki KOBAYASHI
- 2. Shinya MITARAI
- Takashi YAMAMOTO.

## **REMARKS**

This change of inventorship has been made pursuant to Rule 1.48(b), in view of the Amendment/Response dated March 31, 2003. The March 31

Amendment/Response canceled claims 9-30. The inventive entity of the subject